The Attainment of Knowledge

Unless an individual is prepared to look beneath the surface of illusion. To seek out a deeper understanding of life for oneself. The illusions of this world will continue to influence one's outlook. As an individual has decided for whatever reason. To sidestep subjects that relate to a conflict of personal interest. While it may be common for the majority of the population; it highlights a train of thought that's become ingrained over time. One that limits an individual's ability to think clearly outside the box. The erosion of critical thought only making it more difficult to discern truth. As the decay of analytical thought only adds to a lingering sense of doubt. The sense of unease being a biproduct of an internal struggle to comprehend aspects of a problem that's not so black and white.

The inability to cut through the noise, to gain a clearer understanding of an underlying truth. Unless one is prepared to explore beyond the boundaries of social conditioning. To ask uncomfortable questions that others dare not ask. Only then shall an individual begin to make progress. The primary obstacle that delays one from moving beyond worldly illusion; being a mindset that's rigid in nature. On the other hand, childlike curiosity helps one attain a deeper insight into the finer mechanisms that comprise reality. As genuine growth requires a mindset that is flexible in nature. For an open mind is required to expand one's understanding. As the attainment of knowledge is an open-ended pursuit. Therefore, an individual should try and maintain an open mind, regardless of background and expertise. For every new discovery sheds crucial light upon discoveries of the past.

Often contributing to a revision of what was previously considered established facts. Given the extent to which events of the past influence the

present. It’s only natural to wonder how events of the present will shape the future. The various decisions we make over the course of a lifetime. In what capacity will these decisions influence future events? This will likely remain a question that’s unanswerable to those in the present. Yet it provides some context for possibilities outside of current understanding. Although it may test the limits of conventional wisdom. The mind can’t expand without testing the validity of certain information. As it's only healthy to question the sources one gathers information from. Given the degree of distorted information that passes for truth in our present age.